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State Innovation Grant - Region 5 States Environmental Results Program for Autobody Refinishing Shops
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The objective of the Region 5 States ERP for Autobody Refinishing Shops project is to use the ERP structure to implement a portion of subpart 6H affecting autobody refinishing shops and in doing so, determine the impact of direct compliance assistance, self-assessment and certification, and random-sample site visits or inspections in lieu of traditional permitting and enforcement inspections. The Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources (WDNR) and Department of Commerce Small Business Clean Air Assistance Program (SBCAAP) will partner with Region 5 state Small Business Environmental Assistance Programs (SBEAPs), other assistance staff and EPA Region 5 Air Program staff to develop an ERP for the autobody refinishing sector affected by the subpart 6H area source NESHAP, which will include compliance assistance, self-certification, and statistical analysis of baseline and post-certification measurement of performance.

Included in this quarterly report is a summary of the progress achieved to date on milestones identified in the July 31, 2009 final project narrative and work plan.

Project/Program Assessment:

The project is largely still on track to meet the key milestones in the project workplan. During the recent quarter, the Department of Commerce co-lead, Renee Lesjak Bashel, transferred to a position within the Department of Natural Resources, Air Program. Note the new contact information above.

Project Schedule:

Changes to milestone dates are identified in the following table in **blue text**. Completed milestones are highlighted in **yellow**.

Quarter	Projected Milestones
1. Fall 2009 (Oct-Dec)	 Develop and submit QAPP Identify universe of facilities Select contractor for IL baseline visits Complete MOU between WI Dept of Commerce and other state SBEAPs and NEWMOA Develop site visit checklist, protocol and training, data management process Conduct site visit training Begin baseline site visits
2. Winter 2010 (Jan-Mar)	 8. Quarterly Report 9. Finish baseline site visits 10. Data management and analysis for baseline (July 2010 - May 2011) 11. In partnership with associations, develop outreach materials to publicize the project
3. Spring 2010 (Apr-Jun)	 12. Quarterly Report 13. Mail self-certification and workbook to urban universe 14. Respond to requests for assistance on phone or site (Nov 2010-Mar 2011)
4. Summer 2010 (Jul-Sep)	15. Quarterly Report 16. Conduct workshops and other education (Nov - Dec 2010)
Federal fiscal year 2011	
5. Fall 2010 (Oct-Dec)	17. Quarterly Report 18. Help EPA develop post-certification inspection and data management protocol (Nov 2010 - Mar 2011)
6. Winter 2011 (Jan-Mar)	19. Quarterly Report 20. Finish development of post-certification inspection protocol and data routines; Begin processing cert data (certs due: MAR. 11, 2011: Compliance notification/date) (Apr 2011 - Oct 2011)
7. Spring 2011 (Apr-Jun)	21.Quarterly Report 22.Final cert data processing; Begin post-cert inspections; design transition to Region 5 (Aug 2011 - Oct 2011)
8. Summer 2011 (Jul-Sept)	23.Quarterly Report 24.Finish post-cert inspections
Federal Fiscal Year 2012	
9. Fall 2011- Winter 2012 (Oct-Mar)	25.Quarterly Report 26.Finalize post-cert data and analysis 27.Create vehicle for annual (or other periodic) submittals and data management between state/fed
10. Spring - Summer 2012 (Apr - Sept)	28.Finalize project report.

Work accomplished this quarter:

<u>Develop site visit checklist, protocol and training, data management process</u> - Complete.

Finish baseline site visits - Complete. All site visits were completed.

<u>Data management and analysis for baseline</u> - In progress. We have completed the data quality checks required by the QAPP. With the transition of the project Co-Lead from

Department of Commerce to Department of Natural Resources, testing of a final version of the Performance Analyzer has been delayed.

<u>In partnership with associations, develop outreach materials to publicize the project</u> - Complete.

Mail self-certification and workbook to urban universe - Complete.

<u>Respond to requests for assistance on phone or site</u> - Complete. A few additional checklists and forms were trickling in through the recent quarter.

<u>Conduct workshops and other education</u> - Complete.

<u>Help EPA develop post-certification inspection</u> - In progress. The state innovation grant ICR was out for public comment on its renewal, and comments were provided to clarify the process of EPA follow up inspections to complete the project. As soon as the ICR is approved by OMB this phase of the project will move ahead.

Processing self-certification data - Delayed

<u>Conduct post-certification inspections</u> - Delayed

Work projected for next quarter:

Self-certification form submittals continued to arrive in quantities that were better than expected. Around 3000 hard copies were received and nearly 500 were completed online. Data entry for these is on hold until temporary staff can be found/hired to do the work.

The data analysis for the baseline will be completed in the next quarter. Also, we expect to start, and possibly even complete, the post-certification inspections during the next quarter.

Project Funding Expenditures:

Elimination of the Department of Commerce has made the accounting/invoicing of expenses more complex during this quarter. The final invoice was not yet available from the former Department of Commerce staff at the time this report was due. Expenses will be updated with the next quarterly report.

Line Item	Grant Budget	Expenditures	Match*	Total
Category	Grant budget	(10/01/09-03/31/11)	(10/01/09-03/31/11)	(10/01/09-03/31/11)
Personnel	\$1,613.00	\$621.50	\$	\$621.50
Fringe Benefits	\$782.00	\$284.09	\$	\$284.09
Travel	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$	\$0.00
Equipment	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$	\$0.00
Supplies	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$	\$0.00
Contractual	\$398,125.00	\$119,120.50	\$53,834.42	\$172,954.92
Construction	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$	\$0.00
Other	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$	\$0.00
Total Direct	\$400,520.00	\$120,026.09	\$	\$173,860.51
Charges	Ψ+00,320.00			
Indirect Charges	\$327.00	\$126.73	\$	\$126.73
Total	\$400,847.00	\$120,152.82	\$	\$173,987.24

* Expected match amount was surpassed as of Jan, 2011.

Changes to object class categories: None

Changes in principal project manager or other staff assignments: None

Change in project period: None